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From: Dean Charter
Sent: Monday, January 25, 2010 3:29 PM
To: Manager Department
Cc: 'Linda Greene'
Subject: Space Use Request, Patriots Day

Attached please find a request from the Historical Society and Iron Work Farm to use the Town Hall ground floor and parking lot on Patriots Day. This has been done for the past few years without any incidents or issues, and I recommend approval.

Regards,

Dean A. Charter
Municipal Properties Director

1/27/2010



Acton Historical Society, Inc.
The Iron Work Farm in Acton, Inc.

"The Spirit of Acton - 1775 and 1861"

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Acton Town Hall
472 Main St.
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January 26, 2010

Dear Mr. Charter

The Acton Historical Society and Iron Work Farm, would like to thank you for opening Town Hall, the past five years for our Spirit of Acton Patriot's Day celebration and would like to request the use of the first floor of the building so our guest my use the restroom facilities located there on Monday April 19 1:00p.m. - 4:00 p.m. We would also like to use the Town Hall parking lot for guest parking and a trolley turn around. And with your permission place a sign on the Acton Common.

This year at the Hosmer House, the Acton Historical Society invites you to step back in time to 1775 and enjoy 18th century blacksmithing, basket weaving, woodworking and hearth cooking demonstrations. Jeanne Munn Bracket, a former Acton Librarian and author, will tell the story of Capt. Isaac Davis, James Hayward and Abner Hosmer and their deaths at the battle of the Old North Bridge 235 years ago

At the Jones Tavern and Faulkner House, the Iron Work Farm will revisit 1861 and the start of the Civil War. Guests can visit encampments at each location, meeting both Northern soldiers and Southern cavalymen, a Civil War Pinkerton Secret Service Agent and Military Engineer. Civil War lifestyle will be displayed, with quilting and spinning and animal husbandry

Thank you for your continued support of the "Spirit of Acton" and opening Town Hall.

Best Regards,

Linda Greene
Acton Historical Society
Nancy Evans
Iron Work Farm, Inc.

